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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AMENDMENT AND<br/>RESPONSE</b></p> <p>Address to:<br/>Mail Stop<br/>Commissioner for Patents<br/>P.O. Box 1450<br/>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p> | Attorney Docket No.  | STAN-349  |
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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated December 1, 2008 for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due by March 1, 2009. In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.